



2FW

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Desilets et al.
Serial No.: 10/783,003
Filed: February 20, 2004
Attorney Docket: MCA-535D US
For: MULTIWELL TEST APPARATUS

Certificate of Mailing Under 37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify that the enclosed correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service via first class mail, with sufficient postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, United States Patent and Trademark Office, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on January 4, 2005.

Stacey Gross
Name: Stacey Gross

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

TRANSMITTAL

Enclosed please find the following documents:

- ☒ Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement
- ☒ Form PTO-1449
- ☒ Copies of References cited (4)
- ☒ Authorization to charge Deposit Account No. 133577.
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard

Please charge any fee deficiencies or overpayments to Deposit Account No.: 133577.

Respectfully submitted,

Date:

January 4, 2005

By:

John Dana Hubbard

John Dana Hubbard
Registration No. 30,465
Attorney for Applicant
Millipore Corporation
290 Concord Road
Billerica, Massachusetts 01821
Telephone: (978) 715-1265



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Desilets et al.

Serial No: 10/783,003

Filed: February 20, 2004

Attorney Docket: MCA-535D US

For: MULTIWELL TEST APPARATUS

Certificate of Mailing Under 37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify that the enclosed correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service via first class mail, with sufficient postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, United States Patent and Trademark Office, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on January 4, 2005.

Name: Stacey Gross

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Dear Sir:

In connection with the receipt of a Search Report issued from the European Patent Office on November 15, 2004 and directed to a foreign counterpart of the above-identified application, Applicant submits herewith publications of which applicant is aware that may be material to the examination of this application, and in respect of which, applicant may have a duty to disclose.

The filing of this information disclosure statement shall not be construed as a representation that a search has been made, an admission that the information cited is, or is considered to be, material to patentability, or that no other material information exists.

The filing of this information disclosure statement shall not be construed as an admission against interest in any manner.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: January 4, 2005

By: John Dana Hubbard

John Dana Hubbard

Reg. No. 30,465

Attorney for Applicant

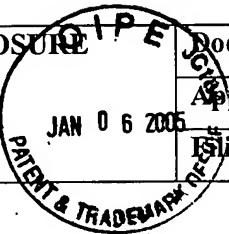
Millipore Corporation

290 Concord Road

Billerica, MA 01821

Telephone: 978-715-1265

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT FORM PTO-1449		Docket No.: MCA-535D US Applicant: Desilets, et al.. Filing Date: February 20, 2004		Application No.: 10/783,003 Group Art Unit:	
---	--	---	--	--	--



U.S. Patent Documents							
* Examiner's Initial	Ref	Document Number	Date	Name	Class	Subclass	Filing Date If Appropriate
	AI	5,707,869	13-JAN-1998	Wolf et al.	435	401	
	AJ						
	AK						
	AL						
	AM						

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS								
	Ref	Document Number	Date	Country	Class	Subclass	Translation Yes No	
	BB	0 596 482	11-MAY-1994	Europe				
	BC	0 747 476	11-DEC-1996	Europe				
	BD	WO 98/35013	13-AUG-1998	PCT				
	BE							
	BF							
	BG							

OTHER DOCUMENTS		
	CB	Copy of European Search Report dated 15-NOV-2004, 3 pages.
	CC	
	CD	
	CE	
	CF	

Examiner:	Date Considered:
-----------	------------------

Examiner: Initial if citation is considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP Section 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant